

REMARKS

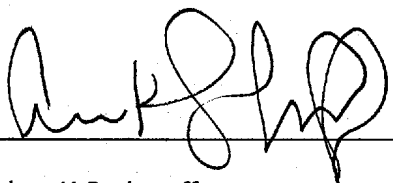
Claims 1, 3-5, 8-10 and 12 are pending in this application. Claims 1 and 3-5 are allowed and Claims 8-10 and 12 are objected to because various claim objections.

Applicant has amended the claims to coincide with the Examiner's suggestions. Reconsideration is requested.

With the amendments and remarks made herein to follow the Examiner's suggestions, a notice of allowance is respectfully requested.

If the Office has additional questions, please contact the undersigned at 312-521-2775.

Respectfully submitted,

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